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Applicants:

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Submission Under 37 CFR § 1.114 (Amendment) in the above-identified application.

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X Petition for second and third month(s) extension of time pursuant to 37 CFR §§ 1.17 and 1.136(a). \$840 for the extension of time fee.

- X Request for Continued Examination.
- A credit card payment form in the amount of \$_1,628_ to cover the required fee(s) is attached hereto.
- _X_ Charge any shortage in fees or credit any overpayment of fees to the deposit account of Antonelli, Terry, Stout & Kraus, LLP, Deposit Account No. 01-2135 (Docket No. 503.35933VV5).

Respectfully submitted,

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